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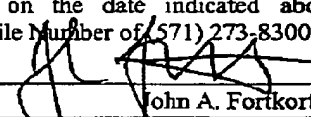
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 14, 2005**

Dear Sir:

No amendments to the **Specification** are included with this response.

No amendments to the **Drawings** are included with this response.

Amendments to the **Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 8.